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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): OUTPUT BUFFER CIRCUIT AND CONTROL METHOD THEREFOR

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- ☒ 43 pages of Specification/Claims 1-18/Abstract are attached.
☒ Formal drawings (Fig(s). 1-14; 12 sheets) are attached.
☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
☒ An assignment of the invention to Fujitsu Limited is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 references.
☐ A Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is attached.
☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____.
☒ Priority of foreign application No(s). 2000-093760 and 2000-102455 filed March 30, 2000 and April 4, 2000 (respectively) in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign applications is attached.

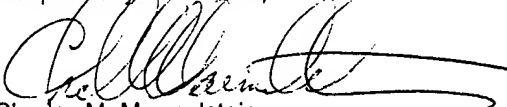
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